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BOX PATENT APPLICATION  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Satoshi ARAKAWA  
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RECORDING AND READING OUT  
RADIATION IMAGES  
Assignee: **FUJI PHOTO FILM CO., LTD.**  
Our Ref. Q66024

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including thirty-six (36) sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, six (6) sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is the Information Disclosure Statement.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	28 - 20	=	8	x	\$18.00	=	\$144.00
Independent claims	2 - 3	=		x	\$80.00	=	\$0.00
Base Fee							\$710.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee							\$270.00
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>							<b>\$1124.00</b>
Recordation of Assignment							\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>							<b>\$1164.00</b>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1124.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and any petitions for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from August 31, 2001 based on Japanese Patent Application No. (patent) 263897/2000. The priority document is submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,  
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